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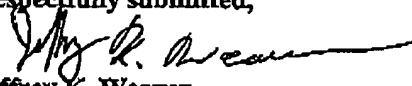
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Group Art Unit 2818**TEL #:****FAX #:** 571-273-8300 (central fax)**Sender:** Jeffrey K. Weaver**Our Ref. No.:** NOVLP050D1/NVLS-000682D1**Re:** U.S. Application No. 10/803,234**Pages Including Cover Sheet(s):** 10**MESSAGE:****Examiner Nhu:**

Attached please find the following documents for filing in the above-referenced application:

1. Amendment Transmittal; and
2. Amendment A.

Respectfully submitted,


Jeffrey K. Weaver
Reg. No. 31,314**CONFIDENTIALITY NOTE**

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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of: Hill et al.

Application No.: 10/803,234

Filed: March 17, 2004

Title: METHOD OF FABRICATING LOW
DIELECTRIC CONSTANT DIELECTRIC
FILMSAttorney Docket No.:
NOVLP050D1/NVLS-000682D1

Examiner: NHU, DAVID

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Signed: 

Mia Mitchell-Haynes

AMENDMENT TRANSMITTALMail Stop Amendment
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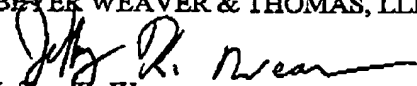
Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified application.

The fee has been calculated as shown below.

	Claims After Amendment		Highest Previously Paid For	Present Extra	Small Entity Rate Fee	Large Entity Rate Fee
Total Claims	09	MINUS	20	00	x 25 =	x 50 = 00
Independent Claims	01	MINUS	03	00	x 100 =	x 200 = 00
Total					\$	\$00

- ☒ Applicant(s) believe that no (additional) Extension of Time is required; however, if it is determined that such an extension is required, Applicant(s) hereby petition that such an extension be granted and authorize the Commissioner to charge the required fees for an Extension of Time under 37 CFR 1.136 to Deposit Account No. 500388.
- ☒ Please charge the required fees, or any additional fees required to facilitate filing the enclosed response, to Deposit Account No. 500388 (Order No. NOVLP050D1).

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AMENDMENT A

Mail Stop Amendment
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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated July 8, 2005 please amend the above-
identified patent application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begin on
page 4 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 6 of this paper.